## **REMARKS**

Claims 1-14 are pending in this application. By this Supplemental Amendment, claim 1 is amended.

In view of the foregoing, and for the reasons discussed in the April 10, 2006

Amendment, it is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance.

Favorable reconsideration and prompt allowance of claims 1-14 are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

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